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In re application of:

Yiwei Ding, Jawed Asrar

Application No.: 10/079,000

Group No.: 3643

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For: METHOD OF CONTROLLING THE RELEASE OF AGRICULTURAL ACTIVE INGREDIENTS

FROM TREATED PLANT SEEDS

**Commissioner for Patents** P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a))

- 1. This is a petition for an extension of the time for a total period of three (3) months to file a Notification of Filing of a Continuation (CON) Application.
- A Notification of Filing of a Continuation (CON) Application in connection with the matter for 2. which this extension is requested is filed herewith.
- 3. Applicants are other than a small entity.

## CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.8(a) and 1.10\*

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4. Calculation of extension fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1)-(5)):

Extension: Fee for other than small entity:

Three (3) months \$1,020.00

Fee \$1,020.00

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

Extension fee due with this request \$1,020.00

5. Extended period for response

Based on the extension requested in this petition (and that for which a previous petition has been filed, if any), the extended period for response will expire on April 19, 2005.

6. Fee Payment

Attached is a check in the amount of \$1,020.00.

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